Amendments to the Claims:

Please cancel claims $\sqrt[4]{-20}$ and add new claims 21-42. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

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Claim 21 (New). A portable image pickup apparatus comprising:

an apparatus proper comprising an image pickup lens and a band attaching unit for connecting a band that is used to wear the apparatus proper on a user's body; and

an attachment removably attached to the apparatus proper, the attachment comprising a second lens that is placed at a front of the image pickup lens so as to align with the image pickup lens for fulfilling a special optical effect adding function, and at least one hook that is engaged with the apparatus proper for fixing the attachment to the apparatus proper.

Claim 22 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the at least one hook is provided on an outer periphery of the apparatus proper.

Claim 23 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the at least one hook is integrally formed with, or fixed to, the attachment.

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Claim 24 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the at least one hook is separate from the attachment and comprising a spring for biasing the at least one hook toward the apparatus proper for fixing purposes.

Claim 25 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the attachment comprises an arm for fastening the attachment to the apparatus proper.

Claim 26 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the attachment includes a hole in which a part of an outer periphery of the apparatus proper is engaged.

Claim 27 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the apparatus proper comprises a spring rod attaching unit for attaching the band to the apparatus proper; and

the attachment further comprises a fastener for fastening the attachment to the spring rod.

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Claim 28 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the second lens for fulfilling a special optical effect adding function provides a special effect to the image picked up through the image pickup lens.

Claim 29 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the second lens is removably provided on the attachment.

Claim 30 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the apparatus proper further comprises a display unit for displaying an image picked up through the image pickup lens, and the attachment covers the display unit in addition to the image pickup lens.

Claim 31 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 21, wherein the apparatus proper includes a pair of band attaching units each provided at a respective one of opposite ends thereof for attaching the wristbands thereto.

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Claim 32 (New). An attachment attachable to an image pickup apparatus proper that comprises an image pickup lens and a band attaching unit for connecting a band that is used to wear the apparatus proper on a user's body, the attachment comprising a second lens that is placed at a front of the image pickup lens so as to align with the image pickup lens for fulfilling a special optical effect adding function, and at least one hook that is engaged with the apparatus proper for fixing the attachment to the apparatus proper.

Claim 33 (New). The attachment of claim 32, wherein the at least one hook is engaged on an outer periphery of the apparatus proper.

Claim 34 (New). The attachment of claim 33, wherein the at least one hook is integrally formed with, or fixed to, the attachment.

Claim 35 (New). The attachment of claim 33, wherein the at least one hook is separate from the attachment and comprising a

spring for biasing the at least one hook toward the apparatus proper for fixing purposes.

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Claim 36 (New). The attachment of claim 32, wherein the attachment comprises an arm for fastening the attachment to the apparatus proper.

Claim 37 (New). The attachment of claim 32, wherein the attachment includes a hole in which a part of an outer periphery of the apparatus proper is engaged.

Claim 38 (New). The attachment of claim 32, wherein the apparatus proper comprises a spring-rod attaching unit for attaching the band to the apparatus proper; and

the attachment further comprises a fastener for fastening the attachment to the spring rod.

Claim 39 (New). The attachment of claim 32, wherein the second lens for fulfilling a special optical effect adding function provides a special optical effect to the image picked up through the image pickup lens.

Claim 40 (New). The attachment of claim 39, wherein the second lens is removably provided on the attachment.

Claim 41 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 32, wherein the apparatus proper further comprises a display unit for displaying an image picked up through the image pickup lens, and the attachment covers the display unit in addition to the image pickup lens.

Claim 42 (New). The portable image pickup apparatus of claim 32, wherein the apparatus proper includes a pair of band attaching units each provided at a respective one of opposite ends thereof for attaching the wristbands thereto.